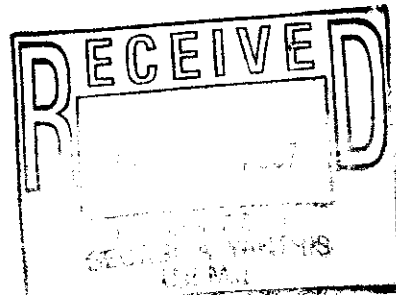




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The Honorable George A. Yanthis  
United States Magistrate Judge  
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300 Quarropas Street  
White Plains, New York 10601

Granted:  
SO ORDERED:

*George A. Yanthis*  
Hon. George A. Yanthis  
United States Magistrate Judge.

Re: *Furlong v. Gibson*, 07-CV-6699 (KMK) (GAY)

Dear Judge Yanthis:

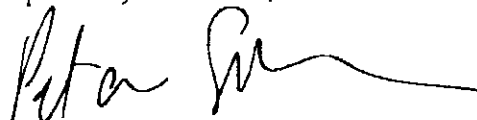
The Attorney General represents the defendants in this action—the State of New York, the New York State Division of Human Rights, and its Commissioner, Kumiki Gibson.<sup>1</sup>

On defendants' behalf—and with the consent of plaintiff's counsel—I write to respectfully request a thirty-day extension of time, to October 15, 2007, to file the motion to dismiss the complaint. Your Honor's order, entered August 15, 2007, gave defendants thirty days to file a motion to dismiss, in lieu of answer. This is the first such request and, as noted, plaintiff's counsel consents.

It is my understanding that although this action was initially assigned in May to the WP4 docket and referred to Your Honor for all purposes pursuant to Standing Order M-10-468, the Court's Clerk on August 6, 2007, assigned it to the calendar of the Honorable Kenneth M. Karas, who in turn referred it to Your Honor.

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Respectfully submitted,



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